

# CSWC Operational Period Summary

## 1800 April 14 2016 to 0600 April 15 2016



An overturned big rig carrying wine on I 880 near Hayward, Alameda County.

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# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **National News – Significant Events**

### **Defense Secretary Carter to Visit Carrier in Disputed South China Sea**

(NBC News) Defense Secretary Ash Carter said he will visit a U.S. aircraft carrier transiting the disputed South China Sea on Friday. China claims almost the entire South China Sea, believed to have huge deposits of oil and gas. Brunei, Malaysia, the Philippines, Taiwan and Vietnam also have claims to parts of the waters, through which about \$5 trillion in trade is shipped every year. Carter, speaking at the close of joint U.S.-Philippines "Balikatan" military exercises in Manila, said he would visit the USS John C. Stennis. "With each Balikatan and each cruise by the Stennis, with each new multilateral exercise and each new defense agreement, we add a stitch to the fabric of the region's security network," Carter said in prepared remarks. Carter said on Thursday the U.S. strategy was aimed at maintaining peace and lawful settlement of disputes, not provoking a conflict with a major world power. "Countries that don't stand for those things, or don't stand with those things, are going to end up isolating themselves. But that will be self-isolation, not isolation by us," Carter said. The carrier stop caps off a trip to Asia designed to highlight the expanding partnerships the United States is building with countries in the region, which Carter said had been asking for a greater U.S. role. "We will continue to stand up for our safety and freedoms, for those of our friends and allies, and for the values, principles, and rules-based order that has benefited so many for so long," Carter said. Hundreds of U.S. troops and some aircraft will stay behind in the Philippines temporarily, and on Thursday, the two countries revealed they had begun conducting joint patrols in the South China Sea.

## **International News – Significant Events**

### **Japan Earthquake: Daylight Shows Extent of Damage After 9 Killed**

(NBC News) The extent of the deadly 6.5-magnitude earthquake that struck southwestern Japan became clear with the arrival of daylight Friday — showing collapsed homes and debris-strewn streets as the search for more victims continued. Nine people died when homes collapsed — with most of the fatalities reported in the suburban town of Mashiki, located 9 miles to the east of the city of Kumamoto. More than 800 others were injured by Thursday's quake, The Associated Press reported. Rescue workers overnight pulled out an 8-month-old baby from the rubble practically unscathed six hours after the initial temblor, according to the Kumamoto Prefectural Police. Video released by the force shows the baby wrapped in a blanket, being passed off carefully from one rescue worker to another before reaching an ambulance medic. Aerial pictures on local newscasts showed images of several collapsed homes and many with roof tiles strewn on the ground. The iconic Kumamoto Castle, which dates back to the 1400s, also sustained damage. Elsewhere, an empty 6-car bullet train was seen derailed slightly from its tracks. According to its operator, the train was not carrying any passengers at the time. The conductor was unhurt. On Friday, Prime Minister Shinzo Abe chaired a disaster task force meeting in which he promised a thorough government response. "We will continue to deploy as many personnel as possible to ensure the residents' safety and we have asked them to do their utmost in the rescue operations," Abe said. The Japanese Meteorological Agency (JMA), said there were at least 124 aftershocks as of noon local time Friday — including another magnitude-6.4 quake just past midnight. More than 44,000 people spent the night in 505 designated evacuation centers throughout the city. Gen Aoki, the director of the meteorological agency's earthquake division, warned "while the aftershocks have gotten weaker, it's only been half a day since the earthquake." He added: "We believe the aftershocks will continue to rise and fall repeatedly, and we ask that people continue to be on their guard for any large tremors." Meanwhile, heavy rains were expected over the weekend. Taro Kono, the minister in charge of disaster management, said that "by the end of the day, we plan to have everyone who had evacuated outdoors to move to indoor facilities."



# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Train Derailment, Carson, Los Angeles County**

- On 04/14/16 at 2248 hours the California State Warning Center (CSWC) received a report from Union Pacific Railroad (UPRR) advising that one railcar carrying steel derailed upright and has since been railed in Carson, Los Angeles County.
- There were no reported injuries or fatalities.
- The CSWC made all appropriate notifications per SOP.
- The Cal OES Duty Officers are monitoring the situation.

## **Big Rig Crash, Southbound I 880, Hayward, Alameda County (SPILL: 16-2264)**

- At approximately 0311 hours, all lanes of Southbound I 880 and the two left lanes of Northbound I 880 were shut down near A Street in Hayward, due to an overturned big rig carrying an unknown amount of wine.
- Due to the crash, big rigs have been given permission to use I 580.
- As of 0427 hours, the route has been reopened to Northbound traffic, but is reduced to 3 lanes at A Street. The route has been reopened to southbound traffic and is reduced to 1 lane at A Street.
- Estimated time of reopening is 1100 hours today.
- I 880 Southbound is the second most congested Bay Area lifeline route.
- The CSWC received Hazardous Materials SPILL: 16-2264 and made notifications per the Hazardous Materials SOP.
- Cal OES Duty Officers are monitoring the situation.

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## **Weather of Concern**

### **Northern California**

- Another breezy period for Interior Northern California is expected today during the late morning through evening time period.
- These will be northerly winds with the strongest wind gusts in the Southern Sacramento Valley and Northern San Joaquin Valley.

### **Southern California**

- Strengthening northwest to north winds will across a large portion of Southwest California today.
- This morning, damaging wind gusts of 60 to 80 mph will be likely across the mountains, 50 to 70 mph across the Antelope Valley, and between 40 and 60 mph across the Santa Barbara South Coast as well as the valleys of Los Angeles and Ventura counties.
- Gusty northwest to north winds are also expected to impact portions of the Los Angeles and Ventura county coastal areas, with gusts between 35 and 45 mph.

### **Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

[http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa\\_bc\\_cal.php](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php)

### **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

# Weather

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:**

#### **Medford Weather:**

The upper trough that caused the chilly, showery weather across the area yesterday will shift to the east this morning. Isolated showers, mainly near the mountains, early this morning will end by late morning, and leftover clouds will yield to sunshine for most this afternoon. Afternoon temperatures inland from the coast will rise back to near normal levels, which will be about 10-15 degrees higher than yesterday.

#### **Eureka Weather:**

High pressure will bring dry and warmer weather conditions to the area through this weekend.

#### **Reno Weather:**

Isolated showers east of Highway 95 will gradually diminish this morning as high pressure begins to build over the region. Temperatures will be much cooler with brisk winds into this evening. A significant warm up is expected over the weekend and next week.

#### **San Francisco Weather:**

High pressure will build over the region through the weekend and result in a robust warming trend. Cooling is then expected for early next week as an upper level system approaches the west coast. Dry weather conditions will likely persist through the middle of next week.

#### **Sacramento Weather:**

High pressure will build through the weekend, allowing for dry weather and a strong warming trend in temperatures. The next potential for significant precipitation arrives late next week.

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## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY:**

#### **Hanford Weather:**

High pressure will build over the area beginning later today and will persist for the next several days. A warming trend to levels well above normal will occur.

### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:**

#### **Los Angeles Weather:**

Low pressure dropping through the Great Basin will bring strong to locally damaging winds to the region today. An upper level ridge will build into the west coast and surface high pressure will move into Nevada over the weekend. This will bring gusty Santa Ana winds to portions of the region tonight through Sunday morning. There will be a warming trend, with temperatures well above normal this weekend. Warm weather will continue early next week, and then a couple of upper lows moving through the Pacific will bring a cooling trend for midweek.

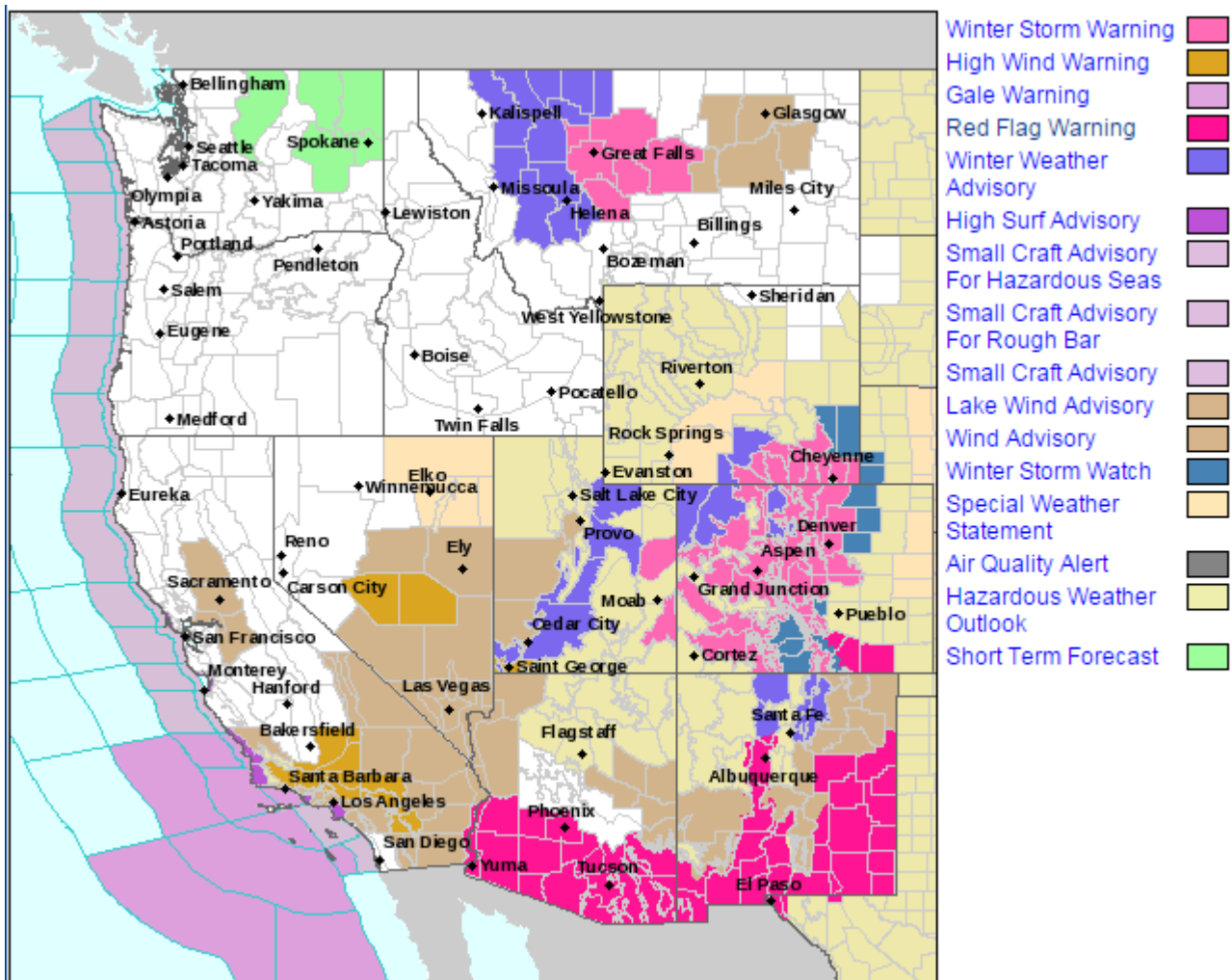
#### **Extreme Southwestern California including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:**

A low pressure system moving from the great basin to the southern Rockies will bring periods of gusty northwest to north winds today and north to northeast winds tonight into Saturday. High temperatures for coastal and valley areas will warm into early next week and into the middle of next week for the mountains and deserts. Weak onshore flow will return near the coast on Tuesday and strengthen the latter part of the week as a low pressure system approaches California. Slow cooling will develop near the coast on Tuesday then spread slowly inland through the end of the week.

#### **Southeast California Weather:**

A seasonably strong pacific weather system will move through the western United States today and Saturday bringing windy conditions and cooler temperatures. The strongest winds accompanied by blowing dust will occur over southeast California and western Arizona. Warmer and drier conditions will eventually return next week.

# STATE WEATHER MAP



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# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **Preparedness Levels**

### **National Preparedness Level 1**

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

#### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## **California Fire Potential & Weather Maps**

### **Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

### **Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

### **California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

### **NWS California River Forecast Center:**

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>





# **CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT**

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf>
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC and will be held once per month.

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## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

### **Local Emergency Proclamations:**

**A total of 60 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:**

- 26 Counties: Butte, Colusa, Calaveras, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Kern, Kings, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 12 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), City of Willits (Mendocino County), and City of Fort Bragg (Mendocino County).
- 10 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tolowa Dee-ni' Nation (Del Norte), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).



**Mission:**

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

*We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.*